

In re Application of: James R. Rousseau et al.
Application No. 10/805,939
Filed: March 22, 2004
For: SPORTS EQUIPMENT CONDITIONING APPARATUS

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to a final office action in the subject application.

☒ Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Petition For Extension Of Time

☒ Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$60.00 (enclosed).

☐ Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 07-0181 for the appropriate petition fee.

☒ No additional claim fee is required.

☒ Other: Return Receipt Postcard

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| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT | RATE | ADDIT CLAIM FEE | RATE | ADDIT CLAIM FEE |
| TOTAL | 59 | MINUS | 34 | =25 | x \$25= | \$625.00 | x \$50= | \$ |
| INDEPENDENT | 6 | MINUS | 3 | =3 | x \$100= | \$300.00 | x \$200= | \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM | | | | + \$180= | \$ | + \$360= | \$ |
| | | | | | TOTAL | \$925.00 | TOTAL | \$ |

☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 07-0181 in the amount of \$985.00 (including small entity \$60.00 extension fee). A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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Respectfully submitted,

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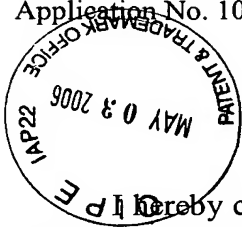
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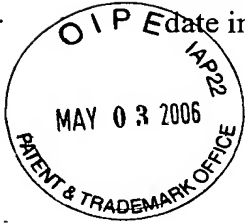
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